

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Kurt BURGER et al.
Serial No. : 10/817,403
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For : PUMP PISTON AND/OR ELEMENTS SEALING THE
PUMP PISTON, IN PARTICULAR A SEALING RING OF
ELASTOMERIC MATERIAL, AND A DEVICE AND
METHOD FOR COATING AN OBJECT OF ELASTOMERIC
MATERIAL
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RCE AMENDMENT AFTER A FINAL OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In further response to the Final Office Action of September 8, 2008 (the three-month response date for which has been extended by two months from December 8, 2008 to February 9, 2009 (since February 8, 2009 is a Sunday) by the accompanying *RCE Transmittal and Petition to Extend*), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.